



RIVERDALE

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EPISODE 3.08

"Chapter Forty-Three: Outbreak"

After a shocking event rocks the Riverdale Vixens, Veronica stages a confrontation. Betty enlists an unlikely ally. Jughead reconnects with his past.

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EPISODE CAST

K.J. Apa	...	Archie Andrews
Lili Reinhart	...	Betty Cooper
Camila Mendes	...	Veronica Lodge
Cole Sprouse	...	Jughead Jones
Marisol Nichols	...	Hermione Lodge
Madelaine Petsch	...	Cheryl Blossom
Mark Consuelos	...	Hiram Lodge
Casey Cott	...	Kevin Keller
Charles Melton	...	Reggie Mantle
Vanessa Morgan	...	Toni Topaz
Skeet Ulrich	...	FP Jones
Mädchen Amick	...	Alice Cooper
Luke Perry	...	Fred Andrews
Nathalie Boltt	...	Penelope Blossom
Gina Gershon	...	Gladys Jones
Brit Morgan	...	Penny Peabody
Shannon Purser	...	Ethel Muggs
Peter Bryant	...	Principal Waldo Weatherbee
Cody Kearsley	...	Moose Mason
Trinity Likins	...	Jellybean Jones
Alvin Sanders	...	Pop Tate
Beverley Breuer	...	Sister Woodhouse
Wolsey Brooks	...	Deputy
Taylor Kare	...	Lugnut
Camille Legg	...	Happy Patient
Angela Moore	...	Sister Agnes

1

00:00:08,258 --> 00:00:09,843
[narrator] Previously on Riverdale:

2

00:00:09,926 --> 00:00:11,302
I can't go back to Riverdale.

3

00:00:11,386 --> 00:00:13,680
[Jughead] Hiram will follow you, or us,
wherever we go.

4

00:00:13,763 --> 00:00:15,098
Where is he?

5

00:00:15,181 --> 00:00:17,475
-[Archie] What's the plan?
-We'll go see my mom.

6

00:00:17,559 --> 00:00:20,311
[Betty] Seizures aren't contagious.
So, what?

7

00:00:20,395 --> 00:00:22,981
[Alice] The Sisters protected me.
They protected Polly.

8

00:00:23,064 --> 00:00:25,859
-They'll watch over you.
-[Jughead] They make drugs in the prison,

9

00:00:25,942 --> 00:00:29,070
which the kids take when they play G & G.
It's connected, Archie.

10

00:00:29,154 --> 00:00:32,574
[Betty] What kind of business does
Hiram Lodge have with Sister Woodhouse?

11

00:00:32,657 --> 00:00:34,701
How are the Blossoms connected to it?

12

00:00:34,784 --> 00:00:37,829
You've been a very bad girl, Betty.

13

00:00:37,912 --> 00:00:39,748
You haven't been taking your candy.

14

00:00:39,831 --> 00:00:41,666
Wonderful, wonderful work.

15

00:00:41,750 --> 00:00:43,668
[Betty] My king, my savior.

16

00:00:47,088 --> 00:00:48,631
[Jughead] It was a day like any other.

17

00:00:50,675 --> 00:00:52,552
Everything seemed normal.

18

00:00:52,635 --> 00:00:53,887
Students went to class.

19

00:00:54,471 --> 00:00:57,015
The Vixens prepared
for the annual pep rally.

20

00:00:58,558 --> 00:01:01,603
Couples had their stolen moments
in quiet classrooms.

21

00:01:03,021 --> 00:01:04,230
Wanna take another hit?

22

00:01:04,314 --> 00:01:05,315
Less talking.

23

00:01:06,107 --> 00:01:07,108
More kissing.

24

00:01:07,817 --> 00:01:10,862
[Jughead] But in Riverdale,
there's no such thing as normal,

25

00:01:11,196 --> 00:01:13,323

as Cheryl Blossom was about to discover.

26

00:01:13,531 --> 00:01:14,866
[Cheryl screaming]

27

00:01:22,540 --> 00:01:24,918
Help! Help us! Somebody, help!

28

00:01:25,001 --> 00:01:27,629
[Ethel] "Your group is stricken.
Infected with poison.

29

00:01:28,296 --> 00:01:29,380
Compromised.

30

00:01:30,381 --> 00:01:32,509
And now, you're all alone.

31

00:01:33,009 --> 00:01:36,096
You hear the heavy scraping footsteps

32

00:01:36,638 --> 00:01:38,681
of some horrific monstrosity."

33

00:01:39,099 --> 00:01:41,309
Girls, time for your candy.

34

00:01:49,692 --> 00:01:51,236
[coughing]

35

00:02:04,207 --> 00:02:05,291
[sighs]

36

00:02:12,298 --> 00:02:14,801
-This is definitely the place.
-You guys lost?

37

00:02:15,510 --> 00:02:19,139
-Or you looking to pick up some merch?
-We're looking for Gladys Jones.

38

00:02:20,390 --> 00:02:22,267
I'm family. We need a place to stay.

39
00:02:24,269 --> 00:02:26,104
-Jughead?
-Jellybean?

40
00:02:27,981 --> 00:02:29,774
Thought I smelled something rotten.

41
00:02:31,401 --> 00:02:32,443
You heard him.

42
00:02:33,111 --> 00:02:34,320
Open the damn gate.

43
00:02:38,366 --> 00:02:39,534
[Jellybean chuckles]

44
00:02:40,743 --> 00:02:41,995
[both chuckling]

45
00:02:49,377 --> 00:02:53,882
You, mon petit amour,
are officially on bed rest.

46
00:02:54,549 --> 00:02:57,135
I've brewed you a pot
of vintage narcissus tea.

47
00:02:57,302 --> 00:03:00,346
And our family physician,
Dr. Caligari, is on call,

48
00:03:00,847 --> 00:03:02,974
should you feel
another spell coming along.

49
00:03:03,057 --> 00:03:04,434
I'm feeling much better, Cheryl.

50
00:03:06,186 --> 00:03:08,563

But what if what happened to me
is contagious?

51

00:03:09,147 --> 00:03:10,231
Oh, Tee-Tee.

52

00:03:11,107 --> 00:03:12,942
Ship's fever couldn't keep me away.

53

00:03:13,943 --> 00:03:16,988
My four-poster bed
is your four-poster bed.

54

00:03:17,363 --> 00:03:19,365
Stay here for as long as you like.

55

00:03:20,742 --> 00:03:21,576
Even...

56

00:03:22,911 --> 00:03:23,745
permanently?

57

00:03:24,454 --> 00:03:25,496
You mean like...

58

00:03:26,748 --> 00:03:31,419
-move in with you?
-I'm cuckoo bananas for you, obvi.

59

00:03:32,378 --> 00:03:33,379
Won't you move in?

60

00:03:34,714 --> 00:03:35,548
As long...

61

00:03:36,633 --> 00:03:38,218
as I'm the big spoon.

62

00:03:40,136 --> 00:03:41,179
[chuckling]

63

00:03:44,849 --> 00:03:47,018
[Hermione] You said
if I went along with this,

64

00:03:47,101 --> 00:03:49,229
no one would get hurt,
especially Veronica.

65

00:03:50,438 --> 00:03:53,107
You looked into my eyes and promised.

66

00:03:53,900 --> 00:03:55,485
I believed you, Hiram.

67

00:03:55,568 --> 00:03:57,904
-[Hiram] It's under control.
-[Hermione] No. I supported you.

68

00:03:57,987 --> 00:03:59,906
You swore to me that this wouldn't happen.

69

00:03:59,989 --> 00:04:01,950
[Hiram] It was a miscalculation.

70

00:04:02,033 --> 00:04:05,411
Now, on strife comes opportunity.
And now the timing is perfect.

71

00:04:05,495 --> 00:04:06,746
What is going on?

72

00:04:07,622 --> 00:04:08,581
Why am I back here?

73

00:04:09,332 --> 00:04:10,458
Veronica.

74

00:04:10,583 --> 00:04:12,585
Thank God you are awake.

75

00:04:12,710 --> 00:04:15,004
We brought you home

as soon as Weatherbee called us.

76

00:04:15,713 --> 00:04:18,007

-You had a seizure, mija.

-What?

77

00:04:18,091 --> 00:04:19,842

It's all this stress you've been under.

78

00:04:19,926 --> 00:04:22,178

Getting dropped by Archie,
running two businesses.

79

00:04:22,262 --> 00:04:25,348

Which is why we've decided
to send you to New York.

80

00:04:25,431 --> 00:04:27,225

You'll finally get some rest.

81

00:04:27,308 --> 00:04:31,187

-We'll get you in with the best doctors.

-Uh, I'm not leaving town.

82

00:04:31,271 --> 00:04:33,606

Sheriff Minetta's body
turns up gangland style,

83

00:04:33,690 --> 00:04:36,901

without his hands or head,
and you wanna ship me off to New York?

84

00:04:37,068 --> 00:04:37,986

Why?

85

00:04:39,529 --> 00:04:40,530

No answer?

86

00:04:40,863 --> 00:04:41,990

Fascinating.

87

00:04:43,741 --> 00:04:47,328

My parents are up to something, Reggie.
They're always up to something,

88

00:04:47,412 --> 00:04:50,164
but they tried to banish me to New York,

89

00:04:50,415 --> 00:04:52,208
which is a new one for them.

90

00:04:52,292 --> 00:04:56,170
It's like they don't want me around
for whatever's coming next.

91

00:04:56,254 --> 00:04:58,214
[doorbell jingles, then boys laughing]

92

00:05:02,135 --> 00:05:03,511
Oh, my God.

93

00:05:03,594 --> 00:05:05,555
Has everyone lost their minds?

94

00:05:06,639 --> 00:05:08,850
Is jingle-jangle suddenly a thing again?

95

00:05:09,517 --> 00:05:10,643
That was so last year.

96

00:05:10,727 --> 00:05:12,270
I'm not sure it's the jingle.

97

00:05:13,688 --> 00:05:17,400
Your dad's pulling it off the market,
and replacing it with some new candy.

98

00:05:17,650 --> 00:05:19,777
-Fizzle Rocks.
-Dealt by the Ghoulies?

99

00:05:19,861 --> 00:05:21,446
No, a new gang.

100
00:05:22,655 --> 00:05:23,865
The Gargoyles.

101
00:05:24,699 --> 00:05:25,533
[scoffs]

102
00:05:25,616 --> 00:05:28,661
With ties, no doubt, to this godforsaken

103
00:05:28,745 --> 00:05:30,621
G & G everyone's playing.

104
00:05:30,997 --> 00:05:33,207
And what, pray tell, is my father's skin

105
00:05:33,291 --> 00:05:35,168
in that particular game, I wonder?

106
00:05:35,251 --> 00:05:36,461
Reggie?

107
00:05:36,794 --> 00:05:38,838
I need you to do some sussing for me,

108
00:05:39,005 --> 00:05:42,258
and find out what you can
about these Fizzle Rocks.

109
00:05:43,384 --> 00:05:44,344
On it.

110
00:05:44,427 --> 00:05:47,680
Last year I helped my parents spin
their criminal web,

111
00:05:47,764 --> 00:05:51,100
and good people, like Archie, got hurt.

112
00:05:51,684 --> 00:05:54,103
This year I'm gonna be a fly
in their ointment.

113
00:05:54,729 --> 00:05:58,107
Whatever they're up to, I will stop them.

114
00:05:58,858 --> 00:06:01,027
[Gladys] Jughead? Heh.

115
00:06:01,527 --> 00:06:02,487
Hey, Mom.

116
00:06:07,658 --> 00:06:08,493
Jug.

117
00:06:10,411 --> 00:06:11,662
Oh...

118
00:06:13,373 --> 00:06:16,250
You feel like a bag of tire irons.

119
00:06:16,793 --> 00:06:17,752
Are you eating?

120
00:06:19,128 --> 00:06:21,339
Ugh. You're not a vegetarian now, are you?

121
00:06:21,422 --> 00:06:23,424
-You wound me, Mother.
-[laughs]

122
00:06:25,927 --> 00:06:26,761
Oh. [chuckles]

123
00:06:27,970 --> 00:06:31,015
I recognize that rooster top.
Archie Andrews?

124
00:06:31,599 --> 00:06:32,725
[laughs]

125
00:06:33,643 --> 00:06:36,771
Oh... Gosh, you sure grew up.

126

00:06:38,356 --> 00:06:41,192
Oh... So...

127

00:06:41,943 --> 00:06:43,945
You two finally got together, huh?

128

00:06:44,529 --> 00:06:47,240
I always knew there was something
going on between you.

129

00:06:47,532 --> 00:06:48,574
[both] Uh...

130

00:06:48,825 --> 00:06:51,160
We're not together.
Just on the road together.

131

00:06:51,452 --> 00:06:53,329
Yeah, like a bromance.

132

00:06:53,413 --> 00:06:54,372
Sure.

133

00:06:54,455 --> 00:06:57,458
You didn't come to Toledo for the weather.
What's going on?

134

00:06:57,542 --> 00:07:00,461
Why didn't you call me,
tell me you were coming?

135

00:07:02,088 --> 00:07:03,923
Last time I called,
you said I couldn't come.

136

00:07:04,257 --> 00:07:07,009
Well, that was a different time.

137

00:07:10,388 --> 00:07:11,639
Hey.

138

00:07:11,722 --> 00:07:13,307
I got my GED now.

139

00:07:13,766 --> 00:07:15,977
Hmm? I started this whole place up.

140

00:07:16,352 --> 00:07:19,313
-I am a legit businesswoman now.
-Hey, Gladys.

141

00:07:20,189 --> 00:07:22,400
Tail Pipe just came in with these.
Where do you want them?

142

00:07:22,483 --> 00:07:24,485
Yeah, yeah, not right now, Lugnut.

143

00:07:25,987 --> 00:07:28,531
Oh, hey, hold up.
Get the crew together, huh?

144

00:07:28,990 --> 00:07:30,950
Tell them my son's come home.

145

00:07:31,033 --> 00:07:32,118
His best pal, too.

146

00:07:32,535 --> 00:07:35,872
Tonight we are going to feast.

147

00:07:35,955 --> 00:07:37,832
-Whoa! Yeah.
-[Gladys chuckles]

148

00:07:40,376 --> 00:07:42,295
[Alice] Betty, you look terrible.

149

00:07:42,378 --> 00:07:43,379
Thank you, Mom.

150

00:07:44,338 --> 00:07:46,466

Did you come here just to tell me that?

151

00:07:48,050 --> 00:07:50,052

I thought you were staying at the Farm.

152

00:07:50,887 --> 00:07:53,639

I am. But the school board reached out.

153

00:07:53,723 --> 00:07:55,808

They're having an emergency meeting.

I wanna be there.

154

00:07:55,892 --> 00:07:56,934

Meeting about what?

155

00:07:57,727 --> 00:08:00,271

Apparently there was a mass seizure
at school.

156

00:08:00,938 --> 00:08:02,523

Like the one that you had.

157

00:08:03,065 --> 00:08:05,485

Whatever caused yours spread
to the Vixens.

158

00:08:05,568 --> 00:08:06,569

All of them?

159

00:08:07,195 --> 00:08:08,237

Including Veronica?

160

00:08:08,321 --> 00:08:10,114

She's one of the fallen, yes.

161

00:08:10,198 --> 00:08:11,365

Oh, my God.

162

00:08:12,533 --> 00:08:13,618

Poor Vee.

163

00:08:13,993 --> 00:08:16,537
I'm just glad that you were here, honey.

164
00:08:16,704 --> 00:08:18,873
Safe with the Sisters.

165
00:08:22,960 --> 00:08:25,213
[Betty]
We have a very special relationship.

166
00:08:25,296 --> 00:08:29,008
He tells me secrets,
and gives me personal quests.

167
00:08:29,091 --> 00:08:31,928
And people are scared of him,
because he's all-powerful,

168
00:08:32,011 --> 00:08:33,804
but he's honestly super funny.

169
00:08:34,680 --> 00:08:37,016
-Who's super funny?
-Oh, hey, Ethel.

170
00:08:37,099 --> 00:08:38,768
I was just telling everyone about

171
00:08:38,851 --> 00:08:41,687
how the Gargoyle King
and I have gotten really close.

172
00:08:42,146 --> 00:08:43,397
Very funny, Betty.

173
00:08:43,481 --> 00:08:44,482
It's true.

174
00:08:44,565 --> 00:08:45,566
After I met him,

175
00:08:45,650 --> 00:08:47,985

I couldn't get him out of my head,
you know?

176

00:08:49,237 --> 00:08:50,279
He's amazing.

177

00:08:51,364 --> 00:08:52,907
Yesterday, he said...

178

00:08:56,536 --> 00:08:58,538
-Never mind.
-He said what?

179

00:09:01,123 --> 00:09:02,416
Yesterday, he said...

180

00:09:03,626 --> 00:09:05,586
I was his new favorite.

181

00:09:06,212 --> 00:09:09,048
-[all gasping]
-That's-- That's not possible.

182

00:09:09,131 --> 00:09:11,133
You're not worthy enough for him.

183

00:09:12,176 --> 00:09:14,720
You're making all this up,
to make fun of me.

184

00:09:14,804 --> 00:09:16,514
Of course not, Ethel.

185

00:09:18,432 --> 00:09:22,436
But if you don't believe me,
you should go ask him yourself.

186

00:09:23,312 --> 00:09:26,399
Or you and I can go talk
to the Gargoyle King together.

187

00:09:27,483 --> 00:09:29,527

You do have the keys to his chamber.

188

00:09:36,158 --> 00:09:37,535

What, Ethel?

189

00:09:37,618 --> 00:09:38,661

Are you scared?

190

00:09:51,007 --> 00:09:53,509

-What are you doing? Open the door.

-I can't, Ethel.

191

00:09:53,593 --> 00:09:56,596

And I'm sorry,
but I need to fast-track my plans,

192

00:09:56,679 --> 00:09:58,431

and you're my best shot
at converting someone.

193

00:09:58,514 --> 00:10:00,349

You'll make him angry.
You're disrespecting him.

194

00:10:00,433 --> 00:10:03,352

The Gargoyle King isn't real, Ethel.
He's a hallucination.

195

00:10:03,436 --> 00:10:05,521

The candy the Sisters give us,

196

00:10:05,855 --> 00:10:06,689

it's a drug.

197

00:10:06,772 --> 00:10:08,816

-It's making you see things.
-Stop it.

198

00:10:08,899 --> 00:10:09,984

Stop lying.

199

00:10:10,067 --> 00:10:13,070

Once the drug wears off in a few hours,
you'll see, okay?

200
00:10:14,030 --> 00:10:15,114
You'll see the truth.

201
00:10:21,954 --> 00:10:23,372
[screaming]

202
00:10:31,255 --> 00:10:32,089
Ethel.

203
00:10:32,923 --> 00:10:33,924
I'm back.

204
00:10:36,052 --> 00:10:37,053
Are you okay?

205
00:10:39,221 --> 00:10:40,681
[sobbing] I don't understand.

206
00:10:44,393 --> 00:10:45,936
It's just a statue.

207
00:10:47,605 --> 00:10:48,773
But I saw him.

208
00:10:55,780 --> 00:10:56,739
We all did.

209
00:10:57,907 --> 00:11:00,743
Because we were high on Fizzle Rocks.

210
00:11:01,452 --> 00:11:03,663
The Sisters feed us drugs

211
00:11:04,163 --> 00:11:07,541
that make us susceptible
to visions that they suggest.

212
00:11:07,625 --> 00:11:09,335

They let us play the game,

213

00:11:09,418 --> 00:11:12,129
and then they use our delusions
of the Gargoyle King

214

00:11:12,213 --> 00:11:14,382
to scare us into submission.

215

00:11:15,091 --> 00:11:16,592
-It can't be.
-It is.

216

00:11:17,593 --> 00:11:19,720
The Sisters are running some kind of scam,

217

00:11:19,970 --> 00:11:21,180
with Hiram Lodge.

218

00:11:21,889 --> 00:11:25,351
I think he's paying them
to test his drugs on the patients.

219

00:11:25,434 --> 00:11:27,978
But I've seen him in real life.

220

00:11:28,396 --> 00:11:29,689
In my hospital room.

221

00:11:30,731 --> 00:11:32,191
The Gargoyle King, he--

222

00:11:33,526 --> 00:11:35,403
-He's out there.
-I know.

223

00:11:36,737 --> 00:11:38,656
I saw the Gargoyle King in town, too.

224

00:11:39,115 --> 00:11:40,908
Or someone dressed up as him.

225

00:11:41,033 --> 00:11:43,953

At any rate,
it doesn't change the fact that in here,

226

00:11:44,036 --> 00:11:45,996

he's just a hunk of cement.

227

00:11:48,999 --> 00:11:50,251

I can't believe it.

228

00:11:50,334 --> 00:11:51,627

I need your help, Ethel.

229

00:11:51,711 --> 00:11:55,923

Sister Woodhouse must know more about G&G
than she's letting on.

230

00:11:56,006 --> 00:11:58,426

This game is literally killing people.

231

00:11:59,719 --> 00:12:01,429

Think about Dilton and Ben.

232

00:12:02,888 --> 00:12:03,848

If we know more,

233

00:12:03,931 --> 00:12:06,892

then we can stop those things
from happening again.

234

00:12:08,060 --> 00:12:10,396

We just need Sister Woodhouse to fess up,

235

00:12:11,313 --> 00:12:15,025

before we can escape,
and shut this place down.

236

00:12:15,109 --> 00:12:16,819

How are we going to escape?

237

00:12:16,902 --> 00:12:17,945

First things first.

238

00:12:19,447 --> 00:12:20,531
Sister Woodhouse.

239

00:12:25,286 --> 00:12:28,873
[Weatherbee] Attention, students,
we are hereby closing the student lounge.

240

00:12:28,956 --> 00:12:31,959
-Please, exit immediately.
-They cancel sports and extracurriculars.

241

00:12:32,042 --> 00:12:34,920
Now they're shutting down the lounge.
What is going on?

242

00:12:35,296 --> 00:12:39,008
As student body president, please,
tell me you've got insider information.

243

00:12:39,717 --> 00:12:43,721
Though my powers as dauphine
of Riverdale High aren't absolute yet,

244

00:12:43,804 --> 00:12:47,558
I am CC'd on all school board e-mails,
and they're having a meeting tonight.

245

00:12:48,392 --> 00:12:50,644
I think
to discuss shutting down the school.

246

00:12:51,187 --> 00:12:53,814
And, Veronica,
your parents are leading the charge.

247

00:12:53,898 --> 00:12:55,441
Of course they are.

248

00:12:55,524 --> 00:12:57,818
It's exactly what my dad did
with Southside High.

249

00:12:57,902 --> 00:13:00,279
And he definitely
had ulterior motives then.

250

00:13:00,446 --> 00:13:01,530
Oh, my God.

251

00:13:01,614 --> 00:13:02,990
[school bell ringing]

252

00:13:03,699 --> 00:13:06,202
And now Riverdale High
is officially a hot zone?

253

00:13:06,285 --> 00:13:07,286
[all shouting]

254

00:13:11,791 --> 00:13:13,459
-That's one of the infected.
-Run.

255

00:13:17,505 --> 00:13:21,133
Drugs, gargoyles,
mystery men in hazmat suits,

256

00:13:21,217 --> 00:13:22,968
and secret school board meetings?

257

00:13:23,052 --> 00:13:24,345
How does it tie together?

258

00:13:24,929 --> 00:13:27,306
Not sure. But I got some suss for you.

259

00:13:27,807 --> 00:13:31,060
According to my sources,
the Fizzle Rocks distributors,

260

00:13:31,143 --> 00:13:34,104
aka the Gargoyles,
are giving their product out

261

00:13:34,188 --> 00:13:35,231
to people for free.

262

00:13:35,314 --> 00:13:38,234
I've seen enough episodes of Narcos
to know this scheme.

263

00:13:39,026 --> 00:13:42,196
Hook them with the first taste,
then they're customers for life.

264

00:13:43,030 --> 00:13:44,907
Daddy's always playing the long game.

265

00:13:44,990 --> 00:13:46,784
For sure. And here's the kicker.

266

00:13:46,909 --> 00:13:49,370
Fizzle Rocks are coming
from the South Side,

267

00:13:49,578 --> 00:13:52,206
right out of the prison
your dad's been building.

268

00:13:52,456 --> 00:13:54,708
Must be
where he moved his candy factory to

269

00:13:54,792 --> 00:13:57,086
after Cheryl, Toni, and I
busted his lab at the Whyte Wyrms.

270

00:13:57,169 --> 00:13:59,296
-Hmm.
-Speaking of Cheryl...

271

00:14:02,550 --> 00:14:03,384
Cheryl.

272

00:14:04,510 --> 00:14:06,554

What time is that school board meeting?

273

00:14:06,637 --> 00:14:07,638

And where?

274

00:14:08,138 --> 00:14:10,724

No child should step foot
through these doors

275

00:14:10,808 --> 00:14:13,269

until we have figured out what is going on

276

00:14:13,352 --> 00:14:15,271

in this toxic petri dish of contagion.

277

00:14:15,354 --> 00:14:17,690

We're taking as many precautions
as we can, Ms. Blossom.

278

00:14:17,773 --> 00:14:20,818

What we should be doing
is tracking down patient zero

279

00:14:20,901 --> 00:14:23,404

and running every test
in Western medicine on them.

280

00:14:23,487 --> 00:14:26,574

Tonight's discussion is regarding the fate
of Riverdale High.

281

00:14:26,657 --> 00:14:28,242

Can we please stay on topic?

282

00:14:28,325 --> 00:14:31,871

To Ms. Blossom's point,
my wife and I are in full agreement.

283

00:14:31,954 --> 00:14:33,706

Most parents are. I mean,

284

00:14:33,789 --> 00:14:36,709

five more kids experienced seizures,
just this afternoon.

285

00:14:37,126 --> 00:14:38,502
Isn't that right, Waldo?

286

00:14:40,337 --> 00:14:42,840
-Yeah.
-Which is why tonight,

287

00:14:42,923 --> 00:14:45,593
as mayor, I am signing an executive order

288

00:14:45,676 --> 00:14:48,762
shutting down Riverdale High,
at least until it's deemed safe.

289

00:14:48,846 --> 00:14:50,097
Stop it right there.

290

00:14:50,848 --> 00:14:53,976
-CDC hasn't set foot in Riverdale High.
-Fact.

291

00:14:54,059 --> 00:14:57,062
Now my parents are bullying you all
into closing it.

292

00:14:58,147 --> 00:15:00,649
Sounds exactly like what you did
with Southside High,

293

00:15:00,733 --> 00:15:02,610
which you now use as a drug factory.

294

00:15:02,693 --> 00:15:06,071
I thought Southside High property
was being developed into a prison.

295

00:15:06,155 --> 00:15:08,282
That's just his cover, Ms. Cooper.

296

00:15:08,574 --> 00:15:10,618
Is that your plan here, too, Daddy?

297
00:15:10,701 --> 00:15:14,121
Trump up a way to get another huge parcel
of land on the cheap,

298
00:15:14,747 --> 00:15:16,916
then expand your ever-growing drug empire,

299
00:15:17,207 --> 00:15:20,544
which now consists
almost exclusively of Fizzle Rocks?

300
00:15:20,628 --> 00:15:23,088
Veronica, what are you even talking about?

301
00:15:23,172 --> 00:15:26,550
That's okay, mi amor.
There's a reason for this meeting, right?

302
00:15:27,009 --> 00:15:28,218
To air our concerns.

303
00:15:28,802 --> 00:15:30,179
We called the CDC.

304
00:15:30,804 --> 00:15:32,431
They wouldn't send anyone

305
00:15:32,514 --> 00:15:34,683
to investigate such a low-priority crisis.

306
00:15:34,767 --> 00:15:36,477
They think it's all psychological.

307
00:15:36,644 --> 00:15:40,105
So, we took some initiative.
The men you saw in hazmat gear,

308
00:15:40,189 --> 00:15:43,692
they were hired from a private firm

to run exhaustive tests.

309

00:15:43,776 --> 00:15:46,445
And Southside High is becoming a prison,

310

00:15:46,528 --> 00:15:48,072
not a drug factory.

311

00:15:48,530 --> 00:15:50,616
If you'd like the name
of the guards we recently hired,

312

00:15:50,699 --> 00:15:52,076
I'd happily provide a list.

313

00:15:54,536 --> 00:15:55,788
Have I left anything out?

314

00:15:59,124 --> 00:16:00,417
Yes, you have.

315

00:16:01,335 --> 00:16:03,796
The part about how you're
producing Fizzle Rocks

316

00:16:03,879 --> 00:16:07,800
and giving it away for free,
to get every teenager in Riverdale hooked.

317

00:16:09,051 --> 00:16:11,178
And I suppose I'm also the Gargoyle King.

318

00:16:11,804 --> 00:16:13,764
As Jughead Jones accused me of being.

319

00:16:14,807 --> 00:16:15,933
Poor, deluded girl.

320

00:16:16,475 --> 00:16:19,728
I hear tell that
these seizures cause hallucinations,

321

00:16:19,812 --> 00:16:21,063
and...

322

00:16:21,146 --> 00:16:23,065
isn't this child one of the afflicted?

323

00:16:23,524 --> 00:16:25,943
On that note, where are the cheerleaders?

324

00:16:26,568 --> 00:16:29,530
I speak for the disappeared Vixens.
What of them?

325

00:16:30,030 --> 00:16:34,118
-Where were they taken, and by whom?
-Those girls went to Riverdale General.

326

00:16:34,201 --> 00:16:36,662
They're receiving
the best medical care possible.

327

00:16:36,745 --> 00:16:38,998
And being dissected like fetal pigs,
no doubt.

328

00:16:39,415 --> 00:16:41,750
You messed with my squad,
you messed with me.

329

00:16:41,834 --> 00:16:44,128
Now I demand real answers.

330

00:16:47,506 --> 00:16:48,382
What?

331

00:16:49,299 --> 00:16:50,300
What, you viper?

332

00:16:50,384 --> 00:16:51,427
[gasping]

333

00:17:02,187 --> 00:17:03,856
[Gladys] Hiram Lodge, huh?

334

00:17:03,939 --> 00:17:06,233
That good-looking short stack
was always trouble.

335

00:17:06,316 --> 00:17:07,860
But why go after Archie?

336

00:17:10,821 --> 00:17:13,073
Archie stood up to him, defied him.

337

00:17:13,323 --> 00:17:14,867
Not to mention, I also date--

338

00:17:15,868 --> 00:17:17,202
Dated his daughter.

339

00:17:17,286 --> 00:17:18,370
[groans, then chuckles]

340

00:17:18,454 --> 00:17:20,914
Dated? As in, no longer dating?

341

00:17:20,998 --> 00:17:22,708
-As in single?
-Relax, Jellybean.

342

00:17:22,791 --> 00:17:24,835
It's JB now, Kid Kerouac.

343

00:17:24,918 --> 00:17:26,670
-[scoffs]
-[Gladys] Archie...

344

00:17:27,546 --> 00:17:29,256
have you spoken to your dad through this?

345

00:17:31,383 --> 00:17:32,634
I wish. I wish I could...

346

00:17:34,136 --> 00:17:34,970
see him...

347

00:17:36,263 --> 00:17:38,182
tell him how I am, but it's too risky.

348

00:17:38,265 --> 00:17:41,643
He'd drag me home by the collar.
Riverdale's not where I need to be.

349

00:17:44,354 --> 00:17:47,232
-Pig's ready.
-[Gladys] All right, you heard the guy.

350

00:17:47,316 --> 00:17:49,610
Archie, go get yourself a hot meal.

351

00:17:49,693 --> 00:17:51,028
Cheek's the best part.

352

00:17:51,111 --> 00:17:54,156
[boy] Go ahead and light it up.
Get it while it's hot.

353

00:17:56,784 --> 00:17:58,368
All right, so...

354

00:17:59,078 --> 00:18:03,082
tell me about this game thing,
that you and Archie are mixed up in.

355

00:18:03,165 --> 00:18:06,376
Gryphons and Gargoyles.
How involved with this are you?

356

00:18:06,460 --> 00:18:07,669
It's more than a game.

357

00:18:08,212 --> 00:18:10,297
It has larger implications for Riverdale.

358

00:18:10,380 --> 00:18:14,384
I'm trying to crack it, get underneath it,
figure out who's behind all of this.

359
00:18:14,468 --> 00:18:17,179
Well, Hiram, it sounds like.

360
00:18:18,597 --> 00:18:21,141
Is he who gave you
that nasty scar on your arm?

361
00:18:21,517 --> 00:18:23,268
-You saw that, huh?
-Yeah, it's bad.

362
00:18:23,352 --> 00:18:24,561
No, that was a...

363
00:18:26,188 --> 00:18:28,315
gift from a former Serpent.

364
00:18:28,732 --> 00:18:29,983
Under Hiram's employ.

365
00:18:31,026 --> 00:18:32,736
-Penny Peabody.
-Penny?

366
00:18:33,153 --> 00:18:36,365
That wench? She always had a beef
about your father and I.

367
00:18:36,490 --> 00:18:38,242
Now she does this? Cuts up my son?

368
00:18:38,617 --> 00:18:41,036
You know,
I never wanted this for you, kid.

369
00:18:41,120 --> 00:18:44,373
I mean, you're a Serpent King?
I never wanted you in the damn gang.

370

00:18:44,456 --> 00:18:45,290
Don't...

371

00:18:45,958 --> 00:18:48,377
act all high and mighty.

372

00:18:49,795 --> 00:18:52,214
I saw that kid with the stereos earlier.

373

00:18:52,422 --> 00:18:55,008
You claim to have left Riverdale
to get away from Serpent life,

374

00:18:55,092 --> 00:18:57,719
and here you are,
chopping cars, lifting their parts.

375

00:18:57,803 --> 00:18:59,763
-God knows what else.
-Hey.

376

00:19:00,430 --> 00:19:01,306
So what?

377

00:19:01,390 --> 00:19:05,519
We jack a couple stereos here and there,
and we steal some hubcaps.

378

00:19:05,602 --> 00:19:07,855
I am feeding and taking care
of all these kids

379

00:19:07,938 --> 00:19:09,356
who have nowhere else to go.

380

00:19:09,523 --> 00:19:11,608
Am I supposed to leave them high and dry?

381

00:19:12,151 --> 00:19:13,485
That's what you did to me.

382

00:19:15,195 --> 00:19:16,029
[sighs]

383
00:19:18,532 --> 00:19:21,785
Come on, let's get something to eat,
before there's nothing left.

384
00:19:36,216 --> 00:19:37,801
Surprised to see me, Red?

385
00:19:39,720 --> 00:19:41,221
There's a bounty on your head,

386
00:19:41,305 --> 00:19:45,309
and you left more breadcrumbs coming here
than a chubby kid in a fairytale.

387
00:19:45,851 --> 00:19:47,519
All right, keep quiet,

388
00:19:47,728 --> 00:19:49,980
I'll give you the luxury
of an open casket.

389
00:19:50,230 --> 00:19:52,357
[Jellybean] Not if I put you in one first.

390
00:19:57,070 --> 00:19:59,114
Drop the butter knife, bitch.

391
00:19:59,198 --> 00:20:01,950
Careful, kid, you might poke your eye out.

392
00:20:13,795 --> 00:20:16,965
You know, Penny, I'm not shocked
that a bottom-feeder like you

393
00:20:17,049 --> 00:20:18,717
is working with Hiram Lodge.

394
00:20:19,301 --> 00:20:22,512
I mean,

you always had unfixed allegiances.

395

00:20:22,596 --> 00:20:24,723
[chuckles] That's rich.

396

00:20:24,806 --> 00:20:26,767
Coming from Gladys Jones.

397

00:20:26,850 --> 00:20:27,935
Yeah, well...

398

00:20:28,018 --> 00:20:31,188
I am surprised that you're
not ratting him out right now.

399

00:20:31,355 --> 00:20:34,441
He must have something real good on you,
Penny Slot.

400

00:20:35,150 --> 00:20:36,318
I'm no snitch.

401

00:20:36,944 --> 00:20:38,487
But I will say this.

402

00:20:38,570 --> 00:20:40,405
Hiram won't stop.

403

00:20:41,823 --> 00:20:43,825
Not till he gets what he wants.

404

00:20:43,909 --> 00:20:45,327
And right now that's Red.

405

00:20:45,786 --> 00:20:49,790
And there's nothing that you,
or your little Lord of the Flies crew,

406

00:20:49,873 --> 00:20:51,667
or Jughead here can do.

407

00:20:52,668 --> 00:20:55,545
Hiram won't stop.

408
00:20:55,629 --> 00:20:57,172
Speaking of my Jug,

409
00:20:58,632 --> 00:21:00,676
I saw the work that you did on him.

410
00:21:01,385 --> 00:21:04,304
You carved him up like a Sunday roast.

411
00:21:05,055 --> 00:21:08,350
-That was business between me and him.
-Yeah, well, I'm his mama.

412
00:21:08,934 --> 00:21:10,519
So, it's between me and you now.

413
00:21:18,068 --> 00:21:19,236
All right, everyone.

414
00:21:19,987 --> 00:21:21,196
Go inside.

415
00:21:22,823 --> 00:21:25,284
Me and Penny are
gonna have us a little girl talk.

416
00:21:25,617 --> 00:21:26,827
Ask her about G&G.

417
00:21:28,078 --> 00:21:29,454
How Hiram fits into it all.

418
00:21:30,289 --> 00:21:31,540
Roger that.

419
00:21:37,546 --> 00:21:38,839
I wanted to commend you.

420

00:21:39,923 --> 00:21:42,050
The gusto you showed in that meeting.

421
00:21:43,135 --> 00:21:44,219
That was audacious.

422
00:21:45,387 --> 00:21:47,180
-Congratulations.
-On what?

423
00:21:48,015 --> 00:21:48,849
On being right.

424
00:21:49,683 --> 00:21:51,810
About all of it.
Well, at least most of it.

425
00:21:52,769 --> 00:21:55,397
It's so much bigger
than you're giving me credit for.

426
00:21:56,023 --> 00:21:58,108
This plan, what's coming next,

427
00:21:58,191 --> 00:22:00,527
it's practically... biblical.

428
00:22:01,695 --> 00:22:03,655
-Years in the making.
-What is it?

429
00:22:03,739 --> 00:22:04,948
[chuckles]

430
00:22:05,699 --> 00:22:08,660
-What do you really want, Daddy?
-What every king wants.

431
00:22:09,828 --> 00:22:10,871
A kingdom.

432
00:22:11,955 --> 00:22:13,290

And a legacy.

433

00:22:13,790 --> 00:22:15,709
You know, once things are in place,

434

00:22:16,835 --> 00:22:18,503
I'm hoping you'll join me.

435

00:22:18,879 --> 00:22:22,257
Take a seat at my right hand,
help oversee the new order.

436

00:22:26,678 --> 00:22:28,263
You're deluded, Daddy.

437

00:22:29,806 --> 00:22:32,559
Also, you're not untouchable.

438

00:22:33,560 --> 00:22:35,228
Maybe in Riverdale you are.

439

00:22:35,937 --> 00:22:39,232
Because your wife's mayor,
and there's no sheriff.

440

00:22:40,484 --> 00:22:43,111
But there's a whole wide world out there.

441

00:22:44,488 --> 00:22:45,864
They'll see what you're doing.

442

00:22:47,741 --> 00:22:49,743
Yeah, I'm not too concerned about that.

443

00:22:51,620 --> 00:22:54,289
It's been a while
since I've seen you in pearls.

444

00:22:55,707 --> 00:22:57,793
Maybe you'll start wearing them again.

445

00:23:00,837 --> 00:23:01,880
Hey.

446
00:23:02,672 --> 00:23:04,383
-What happened with Penny?
-Just...

447
00:23:04,925 --> 00:23:06,510
give me a second, Jug, okay?

448
00:23:06,593 --> 00:23:08,553
Let me think. I just need to think.

449
00:23:10,222 --> 00:23:11,973
-She talk about the game?
-Jug, come on.

450
00:23:12,808 --> 00:23:16,853
We know she was tracking Archie for Hiram.
Was it a quest from her master?

451
00:23:16,937 --> 00:23:19,314
Is Hiram more than the Man in Black?
Is he the Gargoyle King?

452
00:23:19,398 --> 00:23:21,983
You are so caught up in this damn game,

453
00:23:22,067 --> 00:23:24,444
you can't see three feet in front of you.

454
00:23:25,112 --> 00:23:27,823
The big prize isn't Archie's head,

455
00:23:28,365 --> 00:23:30,867
it is Riverdale, Jug.

456
00:23:31,243 --> 00:23:34,454
If you had your wits about you,
you would realize that Hiram

457
00:23:34,704 --> 00:23:37,499

chased you out of town
to get you off the chess board.

458

00:23:37,874 --> 00:23:40,961
So you were far from Riverdale
when he made his big play.

459

00:23:42,379 --> 00:23:44,381
It's not about ascending to the kingdom.

460

00:23:45,590 --> 00:23:49,010
It's about claiming the kingdom.
And if Hiram is the Gargoyle King,

461

00:23:49,594 --> 00:23:52,806
then he's responsible
for reintroducing G&G to Riverdale,

462

00:23:52,889 --> 00:23:55,642
-and the deaths of those kids--
-Mrs. J, what do we do?

463

00:23:56,101 --> 00:23:57,853
I'm trying to figure that out.

464

00:23:59,980 --> 00:24:00,981
Are we okay here?

465

00:24:02,691 --> 00:24:04,609
-I mean, is Archie even safe?
-Yeah.

466

00:24:05,777 --> 00:24:06,778
Of course he is.

467

00:24:13,201 --> 00:24:14,744
[phone ringing]

468

00:24:16,621 --> 00:24:17,831
-Hello?
-[Betty] Vee?

469

00:24:18,623 --> 00:24:20,834

It's Betty.

It's so good to hear your voice.

470

00:24:20,917 --> 00:24:23,253

-Girl, where are you?

-It's a long story.

471

00:24:23,336 --> 00:24:25,755

-But I'm at the Sisters of Quiet Mercy.

-What?

472

00:24:25,839 --> 00:24:28,133

-We thought you were at the Farm.

-Veronica?

473

00:24:28,675 --> 00:24:31,928

There's not much time.

You need to listen to me very carefully.

474

00:24:32,637 --> 00:24:35,348

-[Cheryl] Your text said you had news?

-Betty called.

475

00:24:35,432 --> 00:24:38,310

-She's at the Sisters of Quiet Mercy.

-What?

476

00:24:39,853 --> 00:24:41,897

The hellmouth of Riverdale.

We have to break her out.

477

00:24:41,980 --> 00:24:44,733

Betty's working on that.

You and I have another mission.

478

00:24:44,816 --> 00:24:46,401

-[sighs]

-According to Bee,

479

00:24:46,485 --> 00:24:50,030

my father tests Fizzle Rocks on patients
at the Sisters of Quiet Mercy.

480

00:24:50,113 --> 00:24:52,741

Moreover,
she saw your Uncle Claudius with him,

481

00:24:53,200 --> 00:24:55,869

using Blossom Maple trucks
to deliver the drugs.

482

00:24:56,328 --> 00:24:57,913

Shades of the Legion of Doom.

483

00:24:57,996 --> 00:25:01,917

They're planning something big, Cheryl.
My father likened it to the apocalypse.

484

00:25:02,000 --> 00:25:03,251

For all we know,

485

00:25:03,335 --> 00:25:06,129

my father may somehow be responsible
for the seizures.

486

00:25:06,213 --> 00:25:08,131

But he wouldn't be any more specific.

487

00:25:08,965 --> 00:25:12,427

So, maybe we could ask your mom,
since she's in cahoots with him.

488

00:25:13,637 --> 00:25:15,180

With pleasure, Veronica.

489

00:25:15,597 --> 00:25:18,266

My Vixens have fallen.
My Tee-Tee has fallen.

490

00:25:18,350 --> 00:25:21,561

If my gorgon-like mother has any knowledge
of how or why that's happening,

491

00:25:22,187 --> 00:25:23,230

we'll get it out of her.

492

00:25:31,613 --> 00:25:35,242
Hi, Sister? Sorry, I was wondering
if I could get some more Fizzle Rocks.

493

00:25:39,454 --> 00:25:41,706
Don't scream, Sister.

494

00:25:42,415 --> 00:25:44,334
-Oh, sorry.
-You're coming with me.

495

00:25:46,211 --> 00:25:48,630
It's time we pay a little visit
to your king.

496

00:26:05,855 --> 00:26:08,817
Shh. It's just me. Get up.

497

00:26:10,610 --> 00:26:13,280
I didn't wanna talk
in front of Archie and the others.

498

00:26:14,281 --> 00:26:15,448
As it turns out,

499

00:26:16,116 --> 00:26:17,492
Peabody had a lot to say.

500

00:26:18,535 --> 00:26:21,913
The bounty on your pal Archie,
it's not just on him.

501

00:26:23,373 --> 00:26:25,375
It's on anyone who was with him,

502

00:26:25,875 --> 00:26:27,043
or is helping him.

503

00:26:27,335 --> 00:26:30,505
Which means there is a target
on your back now, too, Jughead.

504

00:26:31,006 --> 00:26:32,924
Same if he goes back to Riverdale.

505

00:26:33,008 --> 00:26:35,051
Archie's dad, Archie's friends.

506

00:26:35,135 --> 00:26:38,346
Everyone is at risk,
which is why you gotta cut him loose.

507

00:26:38,430 --> 00:26:41,808
I'm not just going to ditch Archie, Mom.
He's my best friend.

508

00:26:42,309 --> 00:26:43,476
Your mom's right, Jug.

509

00:26:46,980 --> 00:26:47,981
You got me this far.

510

00:26:49,232 --> 00:26:51,735
More than anyone else would do.
You can go home.

511

00:26:52,110 --> 00:26:54,571
What are you saying?
You can't go out there alone.

512

00:26:54,654 --> 00:26:58,867
Jug, Hiram almost killed us at that farm.
Penny tracked us here to your mom's.

513

00:26:58,950 --> 00:27:02,537
I put her in danger, Jellybean in danger.
I can't keep doing that.

514

00:27:03,830 --> 00:27:05,081
Wherever I go next...

515

00:27:06,291 --> 00:27:07,626
-has to be alone.

-Archie--

516

00:27:07,709 --> 00:27:08,752
Jug.

517

00:27:17,218 --> 00:27:18,219
[Gladys] All right.

518

00:27:19,638 --> 00:27:20,639
So, it's decided.

519

00:27:21,681 --> 00:27:24,017
We'll get you a ride to the border,
I know a guy who'll help.

520

00:27:24,100 --> 00:27:26,770
Jughead, you can stay here
as long as you want.

521

00:27:30,148 --> 00:27:31,483
No, I need to go home.

522

00:27:33,485 --> 00:27:35,612
Hiram Lodge needs to get taken down.

523

00:27:36,154 --> 00:27:38,323
It's only gonna happen from the inside.

524

00:27:41,368 --> 00:27:42,911
[Woodhouse] You sinful girls.

525

00:27:42,994 --> 00:27:47,082
I will strap you to your beds,
and electroshock the sin out of you.

526

00:27:48,500 --> 00:27:49,501
Sister...

527

00:27:50,210 --> 00:27:53,004
monsters don't scare me,
and neither do you.

528

00:27:53,088 --> 00:27:55,882

I've seen real darkness,
stared it right in the face.

529

00:27:55,965 --> 00:27:59,594

That's why you couldn't break me.
I know the scam that you're running.

530

00:27:59,678 --> 00:28:01,388

I saw you with Hiram Lodge.

531

00:28:01,471 --> 00:28:04,766

You're testing his drugs out on patients.
Why?

532

00:28:05,892 --> 00:28:09,688

-Mr. Lodge is a generous donor.
-Oh.

533

00:28:09,771 --> 00:28:12,565

-A believer in our mission.
-By "mission," you mean...?

534

00:28:12,649 --> 00:28:16,069

Using the game,
and the Gargoyle King, to scare girls?

535

00:28:17,195 --> 00:28:18,154

Torture children?

536

00:28:18,613 --> 00:28:21,324

The children
who come through our doors are broken.

537

00:28:22,117 --> 00:28:26,246

It's our sacred mission to fix them,
using whatever tools necessary.

538

00:28:26,746 --> 00:28:30,834

Does that mean that the Sisters created
Gryphons and Gargoyles?

539

00:28:31,334 --> 00:28:32,502
As a tool?

540

00:28:35,380 --> 00:28:40,385
Misbehaving children have been brought
down to this room since the asylum opened.

541

00:28:41,094 --> 00:28:43,304
That statue scared them into submission.

542

00:28:44,097 --> 00:28:46,725
Some of them, the more disturbed ones,

543

00:28:46,808 --> 00:28:49,436
created a fantasy realm, a game.

544

00:28:50,270 --> 00:28:52,522
To cope with the fear
of the one they named...

545

00:28:53,857 --> 00:28:55,066
the Gargoyle King.

546

00:28:56,735 --> 00:28:59,320
We embraced it as a therapeutic tool.

547

00:28:59,946 --> 00:29:01,156
And it worked,

548

00:29:01,239 --> 00:29:04,159
because it embeds itself
in the minds of the players.

549

00:29:04,743 --> 00:29:07,370
It makes them complacent, focuses them.

550

00:29:07,454 --> 00:29:08,455
If that's true,

551

00:29:08,538 --> 00:29:10,957
then how did the game get out
into the world?

552

00:29:11,040 --> 00:29:14,711

-Did you give it to Hiram?

-It was never meant to leave these walls.

553

00:29:14,794 --> 00:29:16,212

It's too powerful.

554

00:29:16,671 --> 00:29:18,757

A game born of madness.

555

00:29:18,840 --> 00:29:20,467

A madness you helped nurture.

556

00:29:21,509 --> 00:29:23,595

Now people like Ben and Dilton are dead.

557

00:29:23,678 --> 00:29:26,765

You're gonna pay for everything
that you've done, Sister.

558

00:29:27,056 --> 00:29:29,017

And you're gonna tell the authorities

559

00:29:29,100 --> 00:29:30,935

what you've told us about the game,

560

00:29:31,811 --> 00:29:33,855

and about Hiram's donations.

561

00:29:35,648 --> 00:29:39,068

I only answer to one authority, Betty.

562

00:29:40,278 --> 00:29:42,405

[Betty] Come on, Ethel. We have her keys.

563

00:29:42,489 --> 00:29:43,656

We're leaving.

564

00:29:44,199 --> 00:29:47,952

-We're taking your children with us.

-They won't wanna leave.

565

00:29:49,078 --> 00:29:50,163
We'll see about that.

566

00:29:54,918 --> 00:29:55,877
[Woodhouse] Help!

567

00:29:56,211 --> 00:29:57,170
Help!

568

00:29:57,754 --> 00:29:59,380
I'm in the basement!

569

00:30:00,590 --> 00:30:01,591
Help!

570

00:30:01,674 --> 00:30:02,926
[gasping]

571

00:30:04,135 --> 00:30:05,261
Let's do this again.

572

00:30:06,596 --> 00:30:09,516
What does my father have planned
for Riverdale?

573

00:30:09,599 --> 00:30:11,559
Speak, or it gets the syrup again.

574

00:30:12,185 --> 00:30:13,228
[panting]

575

00:30:13,311 --> 00:30:14,646
Fine, you wanna know...

576

00:30:15,271 --> 00:30:16,606
your father's plans?

577

00:30:17,649 --> 00:30:21,528
He's finally gonna turn this backwater

into something worthwhile.

578

00:30:22,111 --> 00:30:24,697
A place where we can all pursue

579

00:30:25,031 --> 00:30:26,699
our various enterprises...

580

00:30:27,367 --> 00:30:29,369
-unmolested.
-What does that mean?

581

00:30:29,452 --> 00:30:32,330
She's talking about drug dealing
and prostitution.

582

00:30:32,664 --> 00:30:34,707
Aren't you? You ghoulish-lunatic.

583

00:30:42,173 --> 00:30:43,550
We need specifics.

584

00:30:45,051 --> 00:30:50,139
How exactly is my father planning
on turning Riverdale into Vice City?

585

00:30:50,223 --> 00:30:52,934
Well, he's in bed with the mayor,
isn't he?

586

00:30:53,935 --> 00:30:57,647
And as for law enforcement,
well, the last time I checked,

587

00:30:58,690 --> 00:31:00,692
Riverdale didn't have much of a sheriff.

588

00:31:01,693 --> 00:31:02,610
[chuckles]

589

00:31:02,694 --> 00:31:05,530
Details, or so help me God,

590

00:31:05,613 --> 00:31:07,782
I will drown you in this cheap crap.

591

00:31:07,866 --> 00:31:10,076
And open the garden doors
to let the ants in.

592

00:31:10,159 --> 00:31:10,994
[gasps]

593

00:31:11,911 --> 00:31:13,872
[Penelope] All right, I'll tell you.

594

00:31:15,206 --> 00:31:17,500
What do you mean,
you don't want to escape?

595

00:31:18,042 --> 00:31:19,127
I feel safe here.

596

00:31:19,210 --> 00:31:21,838
We play G&G, the Sisters give us candy,

597

00:31:21,921 --> 00:31:23,715
keep us warm and clean.

598

00:31:24,090 --> 00:31:25,466
Why would we wanna leave?

599

00:31:29,929 --> 00:31:31,306
Sister Woodhouse was right.

600

00:31:31,389 --> 00:31:33,474
They're all brainwashed, just like I was.

601

00:31:33,600 --> 00:31:36,978
Well, we can't just leave them behind.
Not to mention all those kids

602

00:31:37,061 --> 00:31:38,938

in the gay conversion wing,
where Cheryl was.

603

00:31:39,022 --> 00:31:41,482
There has to be something we can do.

604

00:31:43,109 --> 00:31:43,943
Wait, the game.

605

00:31:45,445 --> 00:31:48,656
The game is how they cope with terror,
right?

606

00:31:48,740 --> 00:31:52,076
So, let's convince them to escape
by turning it into a quest.

607

00:31:53,161 --> 00:31:55,496
The Gargoyle King inspires fear.

608

00:31:55,747 --> 00:31:57,832
So, let's give them hope.

609

00:31:58,041 --> 00:32:00,209
Give them the opposite
of the Gargoyle King,

610

00:32:00,293 --> 00:32:01,878
-which is--
-The Gryphon Queen.

611

00:32:10,136 --> 00:32:11,137
All right.

612

00:32:11,930 --> 00:32:14,557
Well, I packed you guys some lunches
for the road.

613

00:32:14,974 --> 00:32:16,017
[knocking on door]

614

00:32:16,559 --> 00:32:19,228

Jug, mind getting that?
It's probably Archie's ride.

615
00:32:28,154 --> 00:32:29,155
Dad.

616
00:32:31,032 --> 00:32:32,492
I missed you so much, Dad.

617
00:32:33,242 --> 00:32:34,327
Me, too, son.

618
00:32:46,589 --> 00:32:48,132
So, you finally made it, huh?

619
00:32:48,841 --> 00:32:51,427
Jughead's getting his bag.
He'll be out in a minute.

620
00:32:52,053 --> 00:32:53,304
Hey, Jellybelly.

621
00:32:54,389 --> 00:32:55,390
She's gotten so big.

622
00:32:57,934 --> 00:32:59,185
Can I get a hug?

623
00:32:59,727 --> 00:33:01,896
-Can I get a dad?
-Hey, JB.

624
00:33:02,605 --> 00:33:05,024
-Come on, now.
-Let her be. I deserve that.

625
00:33:06,526 --> 00:33:07,568
She misses you.

626
00:33:07,652 --> 00:33:10,530
-[chuckles]
-She'd just rather fight than admit it.

627

00:33:10,613 --> 00:33:12,573
Yeah, like mother, like daughter.

628

00:33:12,657 --> 00:33:13,491
[Jughead] Dad?

629

00:33:14,450 --> 00:33:15,743
I see Mom called you.

630

00:33:17,495 --> 00:33:19,205
Thought you might be missing this.

631

00:33:23,835 --> 00:33:26,337
I heard Penny was here causing trouble.

632

00:33:26,421 --> 00:33:27,755
No problem at all.

633

00:33:28,631 --> 00:33:31,300
We don't have
to worry much about Penny anymore.

634

00:33:35,722 --> 00:33:36,723
Come here, kid.

635

00:33:38,558 --> 00:33:39,559
I'm gonna miss you.

636

00:33:43,479 --> 00:33:45,982
Go, uh-- Go warm up the bikes,
will you, Jug?

637

00:33:48,818 --> 00:33:50,445
Thank you, Gladys, for the call.

638

00:33:51,779 --> 00:33:53,614
I'll make sure he gets home safe.

639

00:34:02,498 --> 00:34:03,499
Get out of here.

640
00:34:09,464 --> 00:34:10,757
[Veronica] Kevin, cadets.

641
00:34:13,468 --> 00:34:14,802
This meal's on the house.

642
00:34:15,428 --> 00:34:18,723
But you brutes are helping us.
We need backup right the hell now.

643
00:34:18,806 --> 00:34:19,682
What's going on?

644
00:34:22,351 --> 00:34:24,228
On your feet, soldier boys.

645
00:34:24,479 --> 00:34:25,521
We're going to war.

646
00:34:26,314 --> 00:34:28,024
Paladins and Hellcasters,

647
00:34:28,983 --> 00:34:30,234
Healers and Deadeyes,

648
00:34:30,318 --> 00:34:32,528
your Game Master has a new adventure
for you.

649
00:34:33,321 --> 00:34:35,573
Your goal is to escape...

650
00:34:36,574 --> 00:34:38,284
from the Gargoyle King's fortress.

651
00:34:40,620 --> 00:34:43,623
But we can't.
If he catches us, we'll be punished.

652
00:34:43,706 --> 00:34:45,708

Yes, severely.

653

00:34:46,167 --> 00:34:47,168
But there is hope.

654

00:34:47,251 --> 00:34:49,462
A queen to lead you into the light.

655

00:34:49,837 --> 00:34:51,255
Hark, there she be.

656

00:35:02,600 --> 00:35:03,601
Follow me,

657

00:35:04,268 --> 00:35:05,853
your Gryphon Queen,

658

00:35:06,896 --> 00:35:10,483
away from this fortress
and back to the Kingdom of Eldervair.

659

00:35:10,566 --> 00:35:11,818
But what about the King?

660

00:35:16,280 --> 00:35:17,281
The King...

661

00:35:17,990 --> 00:35:18,991
is dead.

662

00:35:19,826 --> 00:35:21,619
You are all free.

663

00:35:22,703 --> 00:35:24,497
-[all shouting]
-[Ethel] Shh, shh, shh.

664

00:35:25,623 --> 00:35:27,333
We can't wake the King's demon soldiers.

665

00:35:27,875 --> 00:35:31,003

I have the enchanted keys.
Meet me at the doors to freedom.

666

00:36:15,089 --> 00:36:16,007
Here you go.

667

00:36:16,924 --> 00:36:19,177
It's the, uh, last stop before the border.

668

00:36:20,136 --> 00:36:22,471
-Yeah.
-You know, I was thinking, you know,

669

00:36:22,555 --> 00:36:25,141
I could go with you,
we could do this together.

670

00:36:25,224 --> 00:36:26,559
Find a cabin in the woods?

671

00:36:26,642 --> 00:36:29,270
Yeah, teach you carpentry,
like my old man did me.

672

00:36:29,729 --> 00:36:30,688
Imagine that.

673

00:36:31,355 --> 00:36:32,190
Us,

674

00:36:33,149 --> 00:36:34,984
living off the land, father and son.

675

00:36:35,067 --> 00:36:36,319
Hunting, fishing.

676

00:36:37,195 --> 00:36:38,279
It'd be great.

677

00:36:38,779 --> 00:36:39,947
Yeah, it would be.

678

00:36:42,200 --> 00:36:43,117
But, uh...

679

00:36:43,993 --> 00:36:45,453
you know we can't do that.

680

00:36:45,953 --> 00:36:46,954
Right, Dad?

681

00:36:49,707 --> 00:36:50,958
I can't change your mind?

682

00:36:51,751 --> 00:36:53,461
Get you to come back home?

683

00:36:58,549 --> 00:37:00,551
But you can give me your blessing.

684

00:37:04,263 --> 00:37:07,391
I was your age when my father died.
I never said goodbye--

685

00:37:07,475 --> 00:37:08,726
This isn't goodbye, Dad.

686

00:37:11,270 --> 00:37:12,855
You're damn right it's not.

687

00:37:17,568 --> 00:37:18,569
See you soon?

688

00:37:19,195 --> 00:37:20,196
Yeah.

689

00:37:20,321 --> 00:37:21,322
You will.

690

00:37:22,323 --> 00:37:24,325
Oh, uh... One more thing.

691

00:37:31,040 --> 00:37:32,041
Vegas.

692
00:37:35,628 --> 00:37:36,754
[Vegas whimpering]

693
00:38:00,820 --> 00:38:01,862
Mom. Stop.

694
00:38:01,946 --> 00:38:03,239
You heard the woman. Halt.

695
00:38:06,242 --> 00:38:07,493
Veronica, what is this?

696
00:38:07,576 --> 00:38:10,329
Consider it a coup de moi.
We know your endgame.

697
00:38:10,413 --> 00:38:13,040
And you are hereby relieved
of your mayoral duties.

698
00:38:13,124 --> 00:38:17,086
Those plans you and your husband have
with my dolly-mop mother are now canceled.

699
00:38:18,629 --> 00:38:20,089
Now step away from the phone,

700
00:38:20,756 --> 00:38:23,843
before you make the biggest mistake
of your life.

701
00:38:25,428 --> 00:38:26,429
Veronica...

702
00:38:27,805 --> 00:38:29,932
you can't just walk in here and depose me.

703
00:38:30,683 --> 00:38:32,101
I'm an elected official.

704
00:38:34,437 --> 00:38:35,438
Besides...

705
00:38:36,522 --> 00:38:37,523
you're too late.

706
00:38:39,275 --> 00:38:41,027
The order went out ten minutes ago.

707
00:38:41,777 --> 00:38:43,571
I was about to call and tell you.

708
00:38:43,863 --> 00:38:45,656
[cell phones beeping]

709
00:38:50,870 --> 00:38:52,580
[sirens wailing nearby]

710
00:38:54,123 --> 00:38:55,333
It's starting.

711
00:39:00,629 --> 00:39:03,007
Betty, what are we gonna do
with all these kids?

712
00:39:03,090 --> 00:39:04,300
They have nowhere to go.

713
00:39:04,675 --> 00:39:06,510
We'll help them, Ethel. All of them.

714
00:39:09,722 --> 00:39:10,890
-Mom?
-Betty.

715
00:39:13,017 --> 00:39:15,436
Why are you wearing that outfit?
What's going on?

716
00:39:15,519 --> 00:39:17,730

-Why are you here?
-[Alice] Hell is breaking loose.

717
00:39:17,813 --> 00:39:19,440
I came to get you out of the Sisters.

718
00:39:20,399 --> 00:39:23,986
Well, you're just in time,
but it's not just gonna be me.

719
00:39:25,946 --> 00:39:27,365
[sirens wailing nearby]

720
00:39:28,366 --> 00:39:31,077
[Jughead] And just like that,
in a few frantic moments,

721
00:39:31,160 --> 00:39:33,037
the town we'd known all our lives

722
00:39:33,120 --> 00:39:35,331
was once again changed,

723
00:39:35,831 --> 00:39:37,875
but this time, irrevocably.

724
00:39:38,959 --> 00:39:41,879
It was time for us
to brace for a terrible impact.

725
00:39:43,464 --> 00:39:47,259
And while Archie Andrews headed away
from the doomed town of Riverdale,

726
00:39:47,343 --> 00:39:49,178
we raced towards it.

727
00:39:49,387 --> 00:39:51,597
For that night was the fruition of a game

728
00:39:51,680 --> 00:39:55,434
that had been planned for

and played across the years.

729

00:40:03,984 --> 00:40:06,237

-The hell is this?

-Town's under quarantine.

730

00:40:06,320 --> 00:40:08,948

Governor's orders. No one in or out.

Turn around, go.

731

00:40:09,281 --> 00:40:10,491

No, no, we live here.

732

00:40:10,574 --> 00:40:12,785

-Not anymore. Turn around. Now.

-[guns cocking]

733

00:40:17,415 --> 00:40:19,667

[Dooley, over phone] Well, Hiram,
you got what you wanted.

734

00:40:19,750 --> 00:40:21,460

The town's quarantined.

735

00:40:21,544 --> 00:40:24,171

I'll do what I can

to keep the outside world at bay.

736

00:40:24,255 --> 00:40:26,257

Riverdale thanks you, Governor Dooley.

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00:40:26,590 --> 00:40:29,009

-You did the right thing.

-I pray that's true.

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And may God have mercy on our souls.

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00:40:32,638 --> 00:40:33,722

Not God, Governor.

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00:40:34,390 --> 00:40:35,349

The King.

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00:40:35,433 --> 00:40:36,434
[hangs up phone]